PAYLINES

VOLUME XV NUMBER I

MARCH 1997

CPMS WAGE SETTING DIVISION-NONAPPROPRIATED FUND BRANCH

JOIN US ON THE WEB!

he Wage Setting Division is excited to announce that you can now find us on the INTERNET! Visit the Civilian Personnel Management Service (CPMS) Home Page at www.cpms.osd.mil and click on the Wage Setting Division site to get up-to-date pay schedules and wage information.

Our site allows you to access both Appropriated Fund and Nonappropriated Fund schedules. Under NAF Schedules, you'll find a map of the United States. Click on any state and a list of wage areas for that state will appear. All schedules are cross-referenced by both wage area name geographic location (county/state). This will make finding your schedule easy, even if you're not sure which wage area you're in. Once you have found your wage area or county location, simply click on the area name to view the list of schedule file names (e.g. 002-009-NA.html). You will note that the file name includes the wage area number (002) and the schedule number (009). Select CT for the Crafts and Trades schedule. AS-PS for the Administrative Support and Patron Services schedules, and NF for the NAF Pay System (a.k.a. Payband) schedule. Now you can have instant access to your schedules anytime of the day or night!

Other items you can find at the website include the current issue of Paylines and the Overseas Schedule. Special Schedules will be available soon. The site will be updated regularly, so look for new features in future issues of Paylines.



www.cpms.osd.mil

All 13 CPMS Divisions have home pages at the main website. Besides information on the rest of the agency, there are links to related websites such as OPM Job Listings, GPO (Government Printing Office) Access on the and The National Performance Review. The staff welcomes any questions comments you have about the site.

STATE AND FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE ADJUSTMENTS

"Phase 2" of the Federal Minimum Wage increase will be effective September 1, 1997 when the new rate will be \$5.15 per hour.

The most recent change for state minimum wage was California, which increased to \$5.00 per hour on March 1, 1997. Future changes in other states will include Alaska (\$5.65), Connecticut (\$5.18), and the District of Columbia (\$6.15). Any news of minimum wage legislation in your area would be appreciated.

COMING AND GOING

Carrie Moon, Michael Kerby, Kama Luis, Stacy Maiorana, and Shannon Tennant join the staff as Data Collectors while Kathresha Cureton joins the Admin team. Good luck to Mai-Tram Dang and Kelly Rund in their new positions with the Appropriated Fund Branch. Laura Frankman left the staff in December - she is missed by all.

IN SEARCH OF... UPDATED ADDRESSES

The maintenance of mailing lists for 132 wage areas and hundreds of activities is a "full-time job." Your help is greatly appreciated. Please call Vivian at 703-696-1778 or DSN 426-1778 to report an address change in your wage area.

